TWENTY INSTRUMENTAL MUSICIANS AT THE CHRISTIAN CHURCH, THURSDAY, DECEMBER 14th, 1911

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MAY ASK LEGISLATURE TO PROVIDE ELECTION

State Executive Anxious to Have Road Work Started

WHAT WILL BE NEEDED

Amendment Must be Advertised and Must Pass Session of 1913

Governor John K. Tener is anxious to have the State highway improvements started as soon as possible, but as the work cannot be prosecuted on an extensive scale until the Constitutional amendment providing for a bond issue of $50,000,000 passes a vote of the people, little can be done In view of this the project can be hastened by a special election, which may be provided by the next session of the Legislature. Already there is talk of such a proceeding, which would undoubtedly meet the approval of Governor Tener.

The proposed amendment to the Constitution permitting the issue of $50,000,000 of bonds for the purpose of improving and rebuilding the highways of the Commonwealth has passed the last session of the Legislature. It now must be advertised three months before the next general eletcion. It must then pass the session of 1913, after which it shall be submitted to the vote of the people at such time as the General Assembly shall prescribe, but at least three months after its passage by the Legislature.

It could be passed by the Legislature early in January, 1913, and an act providing for a special election to vote on it passed at once, say early in February, fixing a date sometime in May or June, so that it could be advertised again in three months before that special election. If it carried at that election, there would be only the question of time it would take to issue the bonds.

An enabling act to provide ways and means for the issue of the bonds could also be passed contingent on the amendment being adopted by the people, and the money, or some if it, would be available early in the summer of 1913.

In 1889, when the prohibition amendment was voted on, and the amendment to abolish the poll tax, a special election was fixed for June 18 of that year which was duely held, so that there is precedent for such aproceeding, which would very materially hasten the road construction and improvements throughout the State.

NEW TEACHER FOR BUSINESS COLLEGE

Prof E. B. Thomas, of Swanton,O., a teacher of much experience arrived today and took up his duties as instructor in the bookkeeping department of Douglas Business college. Prof. Thomas comes direct from the Ellis School of Business at Elgin, Ill., where he held a good position. He has taught in public and High Schools and was for a time principal of the Lindsay, O., High School.

Christmas Trees Here

Large Consignment of Little Pines Arrives For Local Dealers

The near approach of Christmas was vividly impressed upon the minds of hurrying Christmas shoppers today and Saturday by the appearance on the railroad siding at the freight yard of a large car load of Christmas trees. The trees are consigned to local dealers and will be unloaded soon There are probably 2,000 trees of the fir pine variety in the load.

DECLARES HE IS ONE

Carnegie Woman Positively Identifies Prisoner

PICKS OUT THE ACCUSED

From a group of nine men Miss Lucille Lyda, of Carnegie on Sunday identified John Pippkins, now in jail at Washington for the robbery of the Wabash station at Gwendolen, as oue of the men who held up and shot to death David Lawrence Steen near Bridgeville on the afternoon of September 16 last. Following the identification W. J. Steen, father of the slain paymaster of the Steen coal company, again looked at Pippkins and again declared he was the man who had held the revolver while another Italian shot young Steen with a shotgun.

In getting away from the scene of the shooting at Bridgeville, one of the men ran into Miss Lyda who was in the orchard near her home securing some apples. It is not known yet just what action will be taken in the Pippkins case but it is generally supposed that the Allegheny authorities will at once take steps to have the man removed tothat county for trial. It is stated that yesterday afternoon following the visit of the Pitsburgers Pippkins said he wished to go into court and ented a plea of guilty to the charges against him, but it is not likely he will be permitted to do this for the present at least.

The man is charged in this county with burglary, forcible entry and larceny and carrying concealed weapons.

Remember.

Tuesday night is the big night at the Palace Theatre. Don't fail to attend the Palace Tuesday night. 114-t1

Tuesday Night

At the Star Theatre will be shown the greatest military picture ever produced, "Hands Acros the Sea in 76." Dan't fail to see this masterful production in which two thousand soldiers and 500 horses participate. 114-t2

DECEMBER 10 HOLDS THE WINTER RECORDS

Balmy Sunday the Anniversary of Coldest Day of Last Year--Eighty Degrees Difference in Temperature

In queer contrast with a corresponding date of last year Charleroi people enjoyed the balmy weather of Sunday much the same as they would an exceedingly pleasant May day. People strolled about without overcoats or extra clothing or lounged on their porches as they would do any day in the summer, with an utter disregard for the time of year. The theremometer showing the freakishness of the weather man registered a temperature at the warmst part of the day of nearly 80 degrees

If people will take the trouble to go back in memory to the cold days of last winter they will discover that December 10, 1910, was the coldest day of the season, the mercury registering just two degrees below zero It was one of the coldest days not only of last year but also of several years back.

Sunday would have made an excellent Eeaster Day if it could have been substituted for that usually cold blustery occasion. Summer clothing tnd straw hats would not have looked much out of place. Today the weather man is a little more reasonable and the temperature is about 60 degrees.

FEEHAN RECEIVED ENTHUSIASTICALLY

Believed That President of Pittsburg District Will Have Little Trouble Securing Re-election Tuesday

The annual election of national and district officers of the United Mine Workers of America is to take place tomorrow. Every local union in the National organization will hold its own election, balloting for national president and vice president, secretary-treasurer, executive board members, etc., and at the same time elect district executives.

In the Pittsburg district Francis Feehan is running for president again with good prospects of re-election. Mr. Feehan has worked a systematic campaign throughout the district, which ended in this section with a mass meeting at Belle Vernon Saturday night where he was most enthusiastically received.

John P. White is up for re-elction as National president again. He is opposed by former President T. L. Lewis who is making a vigorous campaign, as well as Mr. White.

The coming spring promises to see some interesting developments in the mining industry. The two year wage agreement terminates April 1, and a renewal is expected, but on terms that neither side has yet been able to agree upon. The miners are demanding a [illegible] ton rate. The operators are demanding a reduction in the present rate of 95 cents to at least 90 cents, declaring that the public will not pay the added cast for fuel and and the public would have to bear any further increase in wages. Trouble is expected in the anthracite fields also where a new agreement is to be sought.

The result of the voting will not be known until the annual convention to be held in Indianapolis, Ind., in January. The tellers will have charge of the ballots sent them under seal from each local and thew will make their report direct to the National convention.

FOGARTY'S MEN HERE TONIGHT

Johnstown to Meet Magic City Five on the Local Floor

A game that will be a game is promised tonight when the basketball five from Johnstown meets the Magic City five on the local floor. Fogarty's men are proud of their victory over Uniontown Saturday night and the Charleroi five with a record of five out of the last six games won, and both determined to win, are expected to furnish the best argument seen here since the season opned. Charleroi started in winning Friday night, a week ago, and have continued with a single break in steady advancement since that time. Connellsville was the only team out of the several to defeat Adams' crew last week, winning on Tuesday. The local team with the acquisition of Herron and with perfected team work is recognized as one of the hardest in the league to defeat.

Romeo and Juliet

at the Star Theatre on Monday night in two reels. Other good pictures. 113-t2

Music Rolls make nice Xmas Gifts Might's Book Store. 114-t1

The First

Pictures to have special music. Arrah-Na-Pogur. Palace Tuesday. 114-t1

Friday Night Dancing School.

Membership cards have been issued and it will be necessary to have one on entering the dancing school. Class as uaual, 7:30. Dancing 8:30 Prof Oatman. Wheeler's Orchestra. 113-t6

SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS NAMED

Speers Denomination Elects Superintendent and His Associates

Officers for the ensuing year were elected by the M. E. Sunday School of Speers Sunday morning as follows: Superintenden, Elmer Taylor; assistant superintendent, James Collins; secretary Sylva Gaskill; assistant secretary, Miss Mary Taylor; treasurer King Chalfant; librarian, Laurie Fox; assistant librarian, Vern Hughes; organists, Mrs. King Chalfant and Miss Myrtle Clendenon.

Last year's teachers were re-elected as follows, in the order of their class numbers: Mrs. King Chalfant, Miss Lulu Beazell, Mrs. James T. Heffran, Mrs. B. H. Clendenon, Mrs. Joseph Beazell, James Heffran, Mrs. Elmer Taylor, T. J. Montgomery.

FIFTY NEW MEMBERS RECEIVED BY YOUNG LADIES SODAILTY

The Young Ladies Sodality of St. Jeromes' Catholic church Sunday afternoon received 50 new members into the society. A program was carried out at the church. Rev Father Maher of Roscoe preached. Special music was rendered. The service was impressive.

Books make ideal Xmas Gifts. Might's Book Store. 114-t1

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ACCEPTS CALL TO LARGE DENOMINATION IN OHIO

Rev. Chalmers E. Frontz Resigns Local Pastorate

FIVE YEARS IN CHARGE

New Church Built During Incumbency--Prominent in Community

Following the receipt of a telegram announcing a call to the pastorate of the Tiffin,Ohio, Lutheran church, Rev. Chalmers E. Frontz presented his resignation to his congregation at Christ Lutheran church Sunday evening. It came as a big surprise. A congregational meeting will be held next Sunday evening when the resignation will be considered. Sunday morning the Tiffin congregation held a meeting and unanimously extended to Rev Frontz a call. A telegram was sent him at once. His acceptance was made known when he presented his resignation to the local church. He asks to be released December 31.

Rev. Frontz has been pastor of Christ Lutheran church for five years coming as the successor to Rev. Harvey M. Leech. During the period of his incumbency the church has built the beautiful new edifice on the corner of Washington avenue and Sixth street, purchased the parsonage and became one of the most flourishing denominations of the town. The membership has been increased by the addition of 135 names and in the five years of his ministry the sum of $16,087.86 has been collected for carrying on church work and for benevolences.

Rev. Frontz has actively identified himself with the general movement for the town's good and has been an untiring worker for the civic welfare of the community. Among churchmen he figures as a leader. For a term he held the position of secretary of the Pittsburg Synod of the Lutheran church. In other ways he has been signally honored by the Synod.

The church to which Rev. Frontz has accepted a call is much larger than the local body. There is a comfortable increase in salary for Rev. Frontz. An old church, the pulpit has been filled at different periods by some of the most prominent ministers of the Lutheran denomination, among them being Rev. Samuel Sworm, D. D., of Wheeling, W. Va., and Rev. F. G. Sibmund, D. D., now head of the Lutheran Publication society. Rev. H. G. Snyder, now of Vandegrift was the latest pastor. Tiffin is a progressive town and the location of Heidelburg University.

No Council in Two Towns

Belle Vernon and North Belle Vernon, Like Charleroi, No Borough Fathers

Like Charleroi both Belle Vernon and North Belle Vernon are practically without councils now and will remain so until January 1. As the law was variously interpreted in various places, the councils organized or did not organize. In Charleroi new members were sworn in but there was no organization of council. At Belle Vernon and North Belle Vernon not only did the councils not organize but the members were not sworn in. There will be a lapse the rest of the month.

BOXES ON CORNERS

First Waste Receptacle is Placed on Fifth and McKean

ANSWERING PURPOSE

The first of a dozen street boxes to be located on street corners as waste receptacles was placed on Saturady afternoon on the corner of McKean avenue and Fifth street. Others are to be placed this week. The boxes are of a size sufficient to hold many baskets full of waste and are painted red, with the lettering on them "Please help keep Charleroi clean." A crusade has been started in the schools against unclean streets. School children are being encouraged in the practice of properly caring for their waste paper and in this way adults are being reached. The idea is one originated by Prof. James G. Pentz, superintendent of schools.

Notice to the Public.

Owing to the unprecedented sale of tickets for the Neisen Recital at School Hall on December 14, we advise the public to reserve seats at once. This assures you of a chair. 150 seats are reserved at Piper's drug store, 25 cents extra. 114-t4

Palace.

Arrah-Na-Pogue in 3 reels with music written especially for this magnificent feature. Tueday. 114-t1

Toy Land Now Open.

Santa Claus has certainly made a big effort to fill our basement with Xmas Toys this year. Parents bring your Children in and give them a good time. Might's Book Store. 114-t1

Romeo and Juliet.

at the Star Theatre on Monday night in two reels. Other good pictures. 113-t2

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

Christmas Cheer For Many A Year

THE 1ST NATIONAL BANK

is best obtained by opening an account for your children with the First National Bank. It teaches your boy or girl prudence in the use of money--enabling them to cultivate the important habit of early saving.

Open Saturday Evenings from 6.00 to 9 o'clock

4 Per cent. Interest Paid on Savings Accounts
Depository for the State of Pennsylvania.

A Timely Topic

You'll be scurring about looking for Xmas gifts soon.

Why not drop in now when you haven't got a thousand and one things to do and select some of your Xmas presents.

By paying a small deposit you can have any article layed away for you till Xmas.

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Fobs, $1.50 to $10.00

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LOCAL AGENCIES

G. S. Might.....Charleroi
Mrs. Belle Sharpneck.....Lock No. 4
C. T. Hixenbaugh.....Belle Vernon
C. T. Hixenbaugh.....Speers

Dec. 10 In American History.

1832—Andrew Jackson issued his proclamation against the "nullifiers"

1862—The Federal army, led by General Ambrose E. Burnside, crosses the Rappahannock at Fredericksburg, Va., one of the brilliant and daring achievements of the war.

1898—Treaty of peace between United States and Spain signed at Paris bringing to an end the war which began in April, 1898.

1910—Official figures of the thirteenth census published; population, exclusive of Alaska, 91,972,266; including all possessions, 101,100,000; gain since 1900, 15,595,860.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.) Sun sets 4:29, rises 7:10; moon rises 9:45 p. m.; 3 p. m., planet Venus in perihelion, nearest the sun; planet Mercury visible; sun's declination, 22 degrees 56 minutes south of celestial equator.

Dec. 11 In American History.

1797—Hiram Paulding, rear admiral of the United States navy, who won laurels in the war of 1812, born; died 1878.

1861—Conflagration in Charleston, S. C.; loss $7,000,000.

1862—Bombardment of the city of Fredericksburg, Va., by General Burnside's artillery.

1905—Edward Atkinson, social and political economist, died; born 1827.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow.) Sun sets 4:29, rises 7:11; moon rises 10:59 p. m.; Asteroid Vesta and moon in conjunction; planet Mercury seen in southwest.

HAS REAL COURAGE.

The people of this country have profound respect for real courage. They are particularly fond of a fighter who knows his cause is just and right and who is willing to stand for that cause to the end of the road. President Taft has not devoted much of his time to hunting trouble, but he has demonstrated conclusively that any trouble that demands his attention will be certain of his best efforts when that trouble forces itself upon his attention. The President is a lover of peace but he is not averse to a conflict when that conflict is forced upon him.

At a meeting of the American Peace society in Washington last week President Taft declared that the Senate of the United States was quibbling over the pending arbitration treaties and in response to Col. Roosevelt's recent proclamation that a question of national honor should never be arbitrated President Taft said:

"The question of honor gives me less concern than any other. We have lived down the barbarous way of settling disputes. To say that we cannot satisfy questions of honor except by the shedding of blood is to go back to the dark ages. Are we going to halt this movement because someone may have found international objections? What is the use of discovering something that is of no use?"

The firm, determined stand taken by the President in advocating international peace in defiance of others who operate along more boisterous lines have made him more friends than any other act of his official life.

HELP KEEP CLEAN.

The one waste paper box placed at the corner of Fifth street and McKean avenue Saturday, has already demonstrated its usefulness. It accumulated a considerable amount of rubbish Saturday night and Sunday, but still did not catch all the paper that was cast aside in that vicinity. This was owing no doubt, to the ignorance of the people generally, who were not aware of the innovation—or its use.

A good plan will be for every person and business firm to adopt ts a slogan, "Keep Charleroi Clean," by depositing all waste paper and debris in the waste boxes at the street corners. This is a small matter individually, yet observed in the aggregate will mean much for the town. Every one can help, and if every merchant will print in his advertisements for a time the slogan, outsiders will become educated in the custom A clean town is an advertisement in itself.

FALSE AND MISLEADING.

Because J. J.Hott, who made a contribution to the Republican county campaign fund, happened to be the superintendent of the Charleroi brewery, the Washington Observer took occasion to make unfavorable comment upon the incident, and in doing so made some false statements and charges against Mr. Hott. It stated that "Mr. Hott is the superintendent of the Mulvihill brewery at Charleroi, which has been refused twice a retail license for violating the liquor laws." This is not true. The Charleroi brewery has never been refused license, neither have there ever been any charges filed against it. Under Mr. Hott's management every effort has been made to comply with the law and the institution has the reputation of being the most carefully conducted one in the whole district. The statement, being false in every particular, is designed to injure Mr. Hott, and to place him in a bad light before the public.

So far as the political contribution is concerned, there was nothing extraordinary about that. It was one of a number made by citizens in all parts of the county who are interested in the success of the Republican party. It was not excessive, and was properly and legally accounted for. During his regime as political dictator of Washington county Mr. Acheson himself was not averse to receiving contributions for the perpetuation of his machine, even from intrests which he now professes to antagonize and abhor. Other citizens in Charleroi, in Washington and in other parts of the county gave donations to the campaign fund as they have aright to, and without which a party organization could not be maintained, and the occasion offers no excuse for a scurrilous personal attack upon a good citizen of Charleroi

ELECTRIC SPARKS

A good many are inclined not to care what caused the Spanish-American war. It happened, and the incident is closed.

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Ah! Saved! The Congressional Record has appeared.

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There hasn't been very much occasion yet to wear fur caps.

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It's strange somebody hasn't mentioned W. J.Burns for the Presidency.

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Gov. Harmon was down to look over the capitol. Maybe he thinks he might be the next person to move in.

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The only time a woman's hair is red is when she comes by it naturally.

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Ella Wheeler Wilcox says the mother-in-law is omnipotent in China. The cause of the rebellion is no longer in doubt.

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Keystone leaders in Philadelphia are declared to now be pleased with Blankenburg's appointments. It's quite possible that he is doing what they insisted he do, which is running affairs as he sees fit.

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Presidential aspirants are now busy finding out just what they do favor.

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Pennsylvania is a leader in the production of hay, but then Pennsylvania leads in so many things that it doesn't seem out of the way.

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A brand new investigation into the high cost of living is to be started by the New York chamber of commerce. If it has no more noticeable effect than the Congressional investigation, it may as well be immediately forgotten.

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King George's new title acquired in India will hardly become a household term. It is Delhi-Ke-Bas-han.

Shopping now is similar to that of buying tickets for the world's series last fall.

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That Ohio young man who was married but couldn't remember it had a most useful memorry.

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Pass it Along.

The thrifty housewife gets a lift
And profit clear
By fixing up the useless gift
That came last year.

—Pittsburg Post.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

With regard to the terrible mine explosion near Knoxville, Tennesee, Joe Mason remarked today:

"The first man to enter that smoking Knoxville mine following the awful explosion was 'Pop' Sutton, mining engineer and baseball manager at State College in 1909. E. W. Sutton is in charge of the Government rescue car at Knoxville, and it was in his line of duty to do this work. Nevertheless it is a heroic calling, and a credit to Penn State to have her sons leading in such a vocation. Three other recent State graduates are in this same Bureau of Mines service and doing excellent work.

"Pennsylvania State College does not support merely classical courses, which turn out graduates who look forward to a life of ease, but State's technical men go out into the world anxious to fight their way and jump in and work beside the practical men who naturally form the back bone of any industry. The young men of Charleroi who are anxious to take up any engineering course as well as agriculture, horticulture, chemistry, or forestry, will do well to look over Penn State's catalogue before choosing their future alma mater. There are scores of bright young men in this town who should now be in college."

A local busines man, who is collaborating with Pittsburg dealers in an effort to remove the burden, or to reduce it, which the Government and State unjustly imposes on the consumers of oleomargerine and butterine, said the other day:

"The Government tax of 10 cents a pound on colored oleomargerine is the most unjust burden that can be imposed on poor and working people. There are thousands who from training and prejudice will not use uncolored butterine who would be glad to use it if it were only colored the same as creamery butter Oleomargerine bearing the Government stamp of inspection shows that the product is made of pure and wholesome ingredients, as every one is inspected by Government officials before the products can be manufactured and sold. There is no chance for using the product of deceased animals, as in the case of real butter.

"In my efforts to get legislation on this important matter I was told that a Pittsburg newspaper sent representatives to the oleo dealers in Pittsburg who were taking a chance in selling the colored product contrary to the State law, and demanded $5,000 worth of advertising, with the ultimatum that if the dealers did not comply, they would be closed up. They of course refused and the paper began a crusade, and today there is practically no colored butterine or oleo sold in the Pittsburg market. Previously the State officials overlooked many offenses in this respect, no doubt, I suppose, on account of the unjustness of the regulation.

"Think of people having to pay 38, 40, and even 45 cents a pound for butter, when they could get a pure and wholesome substitute which most people would prefer to ordinary butter if it were colored, for 15 or 20 cents a pound."

McCann's Select Butterine

a 10-lb. pail delivered upon receipt of $2.00

OR THIS COMBINATION

3 lbs. Restaurant Coffee Ground with Chicory Drinks better than any 25c package Coffee, and

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Better than any Tea sold with premiums at 60c per lb.

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When worried, the poor hands take on a horrid redness.

A livid whiteness indicates that the person suffers pain.

Yellow spots on the hands indicate a bilious or a tired condition.

It is only when the system is in perfect condition that the hands are ready for the finishing touches of the manicure.

NATURALLY.

Mrs. Jones—No wonder she looks tired; she's up most all night with a sick baby.

Mr. Jones—What's the matter with her husband?

Mrs. Jones—He's busy all the time trying to get an eight-hour day for workmen.

What Gift to Buy?

Why Not Something Useful?

The problem of a suitable gift for each member of the family is easily solved at

Claybaugh & Milliken's Shoe Store

See our Holiday assortments of Fancy and Staple Footwear. Their good style and quality assure much pleasure in wearing them. Our prices plainly save you money.

MEN'S SLIPPERS . . . 50c TO $3.00

Tan and black vici kid, black suede, calf skin. Made Opera or Everett shape. Size 6 to 11.

WOMEN'S WARM SLIPPERS, 50c to $1.75

Brown, black, green, old rose, red, wine, blue, pink and grey colors Fur trimmed Romeos, "Comfy" and fancy ribbon trimmed

BOYS' LEATHER SLIPPERS, 50c to $1

Tan and black, Evert shape.

MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S SLIPPERS AND FANCY LEGGINGS, 40c to 90c

All colors and sizes.

WOMEN'S EVENING SLIPPERS, $1.50, $5

Patent and mat kid pumps or strap slippers, beaded or plain. Suede, satin, or velvet Colonials, suede Cleopatreas, and white kid slippers go to make the most complete assortment in town.

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MUSICAL TREAT IN STORE FOR LOCAL PEOPLE

Music lovers have a treat in store for them Thursday night of this week when the Niesen Quartet of singers from Pittsburg appear at School Hall in a song recital. The program will be varied with a view of pleasing all. The affair is being held under the auspices of St. Jerome's congregation. Great interest is being taken and tickets are selling rapidly.

In addition to the quartet a humor-

W. H. Faulkner, Humorist.

ist and reciter has been secured to give readings. This is W. H. Faulkner, a well known entertainer of ability. The entertainment will be of a high class and of a nature that will insure a delightful and beneficial evening to those who attend.

Settled Case.

In the case of Edward Callaghan versus V. S. Ross and others, in which the former made charges against the latter regarding some differences in insurances company matters in which both were interested, the plaintiff withdrew the charges and the defendant paid the costs, and the matter was settled out of court. The hearing was before Justice Harry Scott of North Charleroi.

WAS SICK THIRTY YEARS

Bowie, Tex.—The remarkable case of Mrs. S. J. Embry who lives near here is attracting attention, on account of her restoration to health after many years of suffering. She tells of it in a letter as follows:

"During the past thirty years I have suffered greatly from nervous troubles and my health was badly run down. Lately I learned of your cod liver and iron tonic, Vinol, and began taking it.

"I have used several bottles and improved so fast that I at once recommended it to two friends who were in poor health. My case was complicated but Vinol did wonders for me. Every woman who suffers from nervousness and weakness should take Vinol and recover her health."

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NOTED IRISH PLAY TO BE PRODUCED AT THE PALACE

"Arrah-Na-Pogue," the great Irish photoplay, in three reels, will be presented at the Palace Theatre tomorrow night This historical and romantic drama was staged amid the lakes and fels of Ireland, where it was supposed to have occurred, and the spectator is regaled with the original natural scenery of some of the most world thrilling events. This is the only photoplay to which special music has been set, and the Palace Theatre orchestra will render the beautiful strains that tell the emotional part of the story as the drama is unfolded.

FUNERAL OF GEORGE L. MICHINER HELD AT THE LATE HOME

The funeral of George L. Michener, who died on Friday afternoon suddenly was held this morning at the late home on Washington avenue. Scores of friends of the deceased attended and paid their last respects to his mortal remains. Interment was in Howe's cemetery.

Moodie Makes a Call.

Andrew Moodie, a farmer residing near town, went to visit a neighbor, John Telford, the other night. As he opened the door leading into the house he fell, in the dark, through the open trap door of the cellar. At the moment Telford was ascending the cellar stairs, and Moodie dropped astride his neck. Both went to the bottom, Telford escaping unhurt, but Moodie sustaining a fracture of three ribs.—Smith Falls Dispatch in Toronto Mail.

Titanic Tolstoi.

Everything in Tolstoi's character, an eminent Russian writer says, attained Titanic proportions. "As a drinker he absorbed fantastic quantities of liquor. As a gambler, he terrified his partners by the boldness of his play. As a soldier he advanced gayly to Bastion 4, the bastion of death, at Sevastopol, and there he made dying men laugh at his witty sayings. He surpassed every one by his prodigious activity in sport as well as literature."

Eraser in the Laundry.

One instrument of cleanliness found in a first-class laundry is a rubber eraser. "That is needed to rub the pencil marks from cuffs," said the manager. "We used to throw that kind of correspondence into soap water and try to wash it clean, but marks made by some pencils soaked in instead of washing out, and left the cuffs splotched and streaked, so they are now treated to a preliminary dry scrub with an eraser."

Hard to Answer.

Little four-year-old Robert, like many other boys of his age, liked to ask questions. So when the first downy chicks came in the spring and his mother saw him studying them most intently, she knew something was coming. And it did, for presently he turned to his mother and asked, "Mamma, are chickens' legs hind legs or front legs?" —M. B. Denison in Woman's Home Companion.

Value of Modern Education.

We learn a great deal that is useless about geography, but ask any simple question of the average "educated" person—the shortest route to Persia for instance, or how many days it takes to go to India or to Argentina—and you will probably receive a wrong answer or no answer at all.—Petite Republique.

Sewing Receptacle.

Jane—The newest receptacles for small pieces of sewing are made of ribbon, which is turned up and overcast at the ends to form pockets. It is tied around the waist in the form of a girdle and the pockets hang conveniently at the right side.

Where Blacks Predominate.

Jamaica is more populous in proportion to its size than Spain, Turkey, Russia, and some other European countries. The white people, however, are outnumbered by the blacks and colored by nearly 50 to 1.

What's the Use?

Mrs. Spender—"If we deposit ten cents a day at four per cent. interest for baby until he's of age, he'll have $1,212." Spender—"What's the use? By that time he can go to work."

Was a Relative.

A little child was seen walking around near "the bearded lady," at one of the side shows at a country fair. The child being evidently on good terms with the barker, indicated to the onlookers that it was probably related to the bewhiskered female, so she asked the child: "Is the bearded lady your mother?" "No," answered the child, "she is my father."

Reasonable Prices for Seasonable Goods

One pound pkg. Currants	12½c	Co-operators Best flour, 50 lb sk.	$1.40
Seeded Raisins, 2 pkgs. for	25c	Pastry flour, 25 lb sk	60c
Seedless Raisins, 2 pkgs. for	25c	Gold Coin flour, 50 lb sk	$1.65
Fancy prunes, 2 lbs for	25c	10 lb Pail Pure lard	$1.20
Evaporated peaches, lb	16c	5 lb Pail Pure lard	60c
Evaporate apricots, lb	22c	3 lb Pail Pure lard	35c
Citron peal, lb	25c	Country butter, per lb	32c
Mixed Nuts, lb	15c	Figs, 1 lb wood box	17c
English Walnuts lb	22c	Spinach, per peck	20c
Hickory Nuts, 4 lbs for	25c	Malaga grapes, 2 lbs for	25c
Cranberries, 2 qts for	25c	Corn meal, 10 lb sack	24c
Turnips, per bu	75c	Buckwheat flour, 10 lb sack	35c
Ruta Baga per bu	85c	Graham flour, 10 lb sack	30c
Carrots per bu	85c	Split peas, 1 lb pkg, 2 for	15c
Sliced peaches, 2 cans for	25c	Best mustard, per quart	15c
Gooseberries, 2 cans for	25c	Best mustard per pint	10c
Green Gage plums, 3 lb can	15c	Any 10c pkg of tobacco, 2 for	15c
White Cherries, 2 lb can	15c	1 lb pkg of Washing Powder 4 for	15c
White dove floting soap, 11 for	25c	Borax Washing Powder, 2 for	5c
Laundry soap, large cake, 7 for	25c	Quart bottle ammonia, 2 for	15c
Baker's Chocolate, per lb	35c	Quart bottle Blue. 2 for	15c

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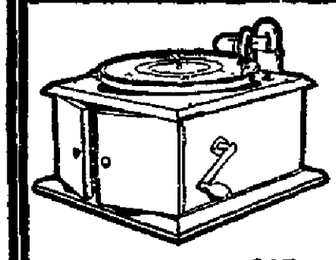

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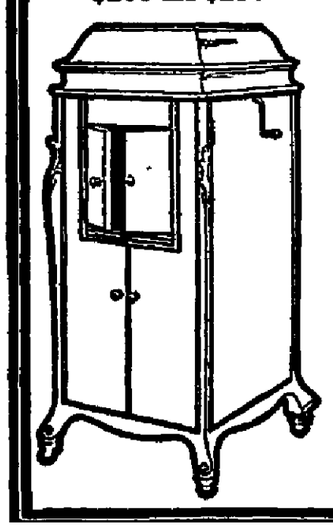

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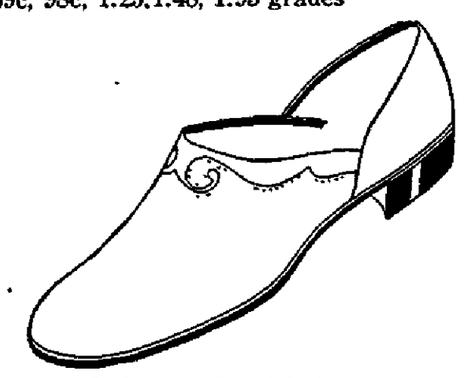

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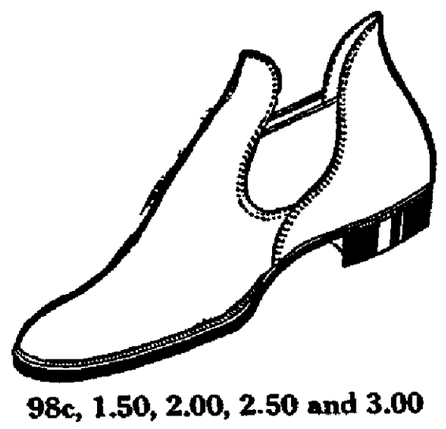

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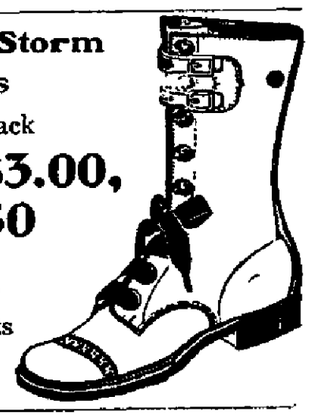

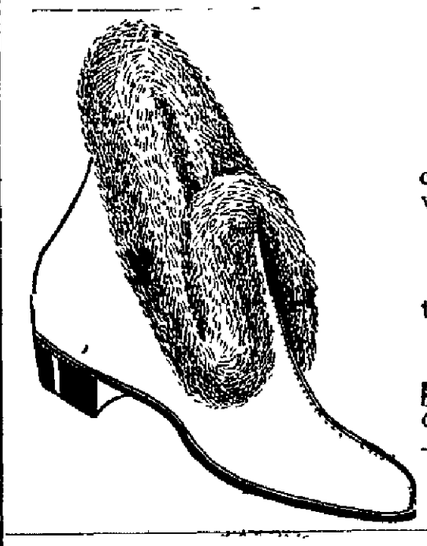

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Black satin shoes for women; plain toes; short vamp; only a limited number; $5 values for $3.45.

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Smooth Faces Blamed.

A distinguished Vienna physician has attributed the increase in diseases of the respiratory organs to the growing practice among men of going clean shaven.

And There You Are.

A New York man who was unable to sign his own name left a million. But if he had had an education he might have left a billion. And then again he might not.

Two Paths of Life.

There's many a man who on the outside is known to everyone as a genial, but at home is a habitual grouch.—Life.

The Principal Thing.

Bobby (to Auntie, an energetic suffragette)—I s'pose, auntie, the first thing you'll do when you get to vote will be to put a tax on us bachelors?

Are Dead Ones.

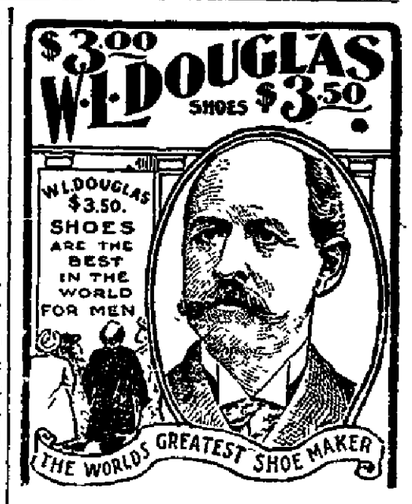
Red letter days now become, to all intents and purposes, dead-letter days.

Stung.

Peter Piper had picked A Peck of Pickled Peppers. The bell rang. "A Peck of Pickled Peppers distanced at the post!" shouted the announcer through his megaphone. Peter Piper tore his hair. "Never again!" he cried, meaning that he meant to dally with the ponies no more forever.—Puck.

Saved His Wife's Life.

"My wife would have been in her grave to-day" writes O. H. Brown, of Muscadine, Ala., "if it had not been for Dr. King's New Discovery. She was down in her bed, not able to get up without help. She had a severe bronchical trouble and a dreadful cough. I got her a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery, and she soon began to mend, and was well in a short time." Infallible for coughs and colds, it's the most reliable remedy on earth for desperate lung trouble, hemorrhages, lagrippe, asthma, hay fever, croup and whooping cough. 50c, $1.00 Trial bottle free. Guaranteed by Hennings' Drug Store. 1



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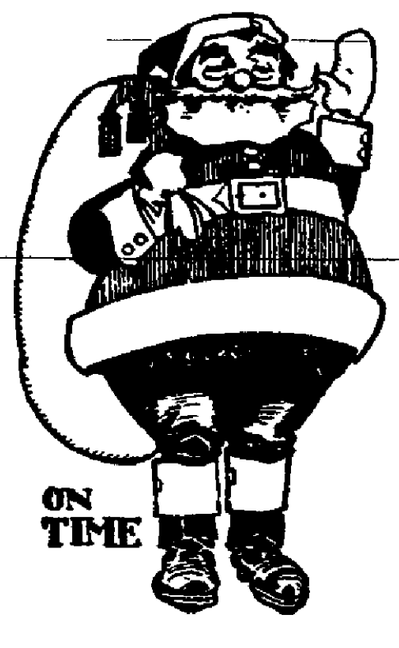

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Mother

Furs, waists, hand bags, gloves, handkerchiefs, neckwear, scarf, bed room slippers, belts, hose, linens, art goods, hair switches, china ware, brass goods, carpet sweepers, etc.

Brother

Shaving mirrors, collar and cuff boxes, umbrellas, hats, neckties belts, gloves, pajamas, collars, suspender sets, combination tie, hose sets, underwear, books.

Sister

Furs, handkerchiefs, gloves neckwear, hose, hand bags, jewelry, scarfs, combs, umbrellas, ribbons, fancy work, books, dolls.

We Give S. & H. Green Stamps

BERRYMAN'S

CHARLEROI'S LIVE STORE

SHOP EARLY

LOCAL MENTION

Miss Tena Estenfelder has returned from Ford City where she has been employed for 14 weeks as a milliner.

Mrs. James Ramsey and Thomas Christopher have gone to Detroit, Mich., being called there by the serious illness of Miss Eunice Ramsey.

C. A. Wilderman, who is a section foreman on the railroad is spending a week with friends in the vicinity of Uniontown.

Mrs. George Philips, of Cleveland, Ohio, has returned home after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Peter Decker, of Fallowfield avenue

Prof. I. T. Daniel and son Aubery were in California Sunday afternoon where the former is drilling a chorous for the presentation of a cantata.

Edmund Brown, head of a plate glass factory in Detroit, Mich., and formerly superintendent of the Pittsburg Plate Glass factory here, after a brief visit with his son Roland Brown left this morning for his home.

Mrs Joseph R. Chalfant is spending the day in Pittsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Lowstutter, of Brownsville were visitors with relatives and friends here Sunday.

C. E. Miller, a former resident of Charleroi, but now located at Columbus, O., was in town Sunday, the guest of his brother-in-law, A. W. Day of the Hotel Arthur.

Mrs. R. J. Lysle of Fallowfield avenue was in Dravosburg Saturday to attend the funeral of Ralph Hagen, one of the victims of the evplosion of the steamer Diamond.

Arrah-Na-Pogue in 3 reels. Beautiful Irish Drama, will be shown at rah-Na-Pogue. Palace Tuesday.114-t1

ENTERTAINS CLASS OF SUNDAY SCHOOL

The Star class of the Christian Sunday school, taught by Miss Ruth Middleton was entertained at the home of Mrs. I. N. Kibler Saturday afternoon from two to five o'clock. The affair was in honor of the 14th birthday of Miss Maud Kibler. Christmas decorations of a star design were used throughout the house and the same idea was carried out in the games. Mrs. Kibler was assisted in receiving and entertaining by Mrs. Fisher, of North Charleroi, Miss Racey and Miss Clark, of Uniontown.

Robert Reed of Dravosburg spent Sunday with his aunt, Mrs. R. J. Lysle of Fallowfield avenue.

Card of Thanks.

We extend our heartfelt thanks to those who assisted and shared with us their sympathy during the illness and death of our husband and father also the Glass City Lodge and Room 5 and grade 5 of High School building for their floral tribute.

Mrs. S. A. Webster and Family.
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OBITUARY.

John Franklin Webster, born June 23, 1860, died December 6, at his home on Woodlawn Avenue.

Mr. Webster married Miss S. A. Kelley, at Canonsburg, August 2, 1883. To them were born ten children of which seven survive. Mrs. Garnet Johnson, Mrs. Margaret Brown, Miss Mabel, Mary, Pearl and Jacob of Charleroi and George of Detroit, Mich. His widow, father, two sisters and two brothers and three grandchildren also survive. Mr. Webster moved to Charleroi more than 13 years ago, coming here from Pittsburg where he was employed at McJunkins dairy. He was a good citizen and was well respected by all who knew him.

Mabel J. Webster.

SOUTHSIDE DEFEATED

Magic Team Work and Shooting Too Much for Freunds

Continuing its winning streak Charleroi gave Southside the short end of a bout Saturday night on the Southside floor. The score was 52 to 31. So fast a pace did the Magics set that the Southsiders haven't entirely recovered their bearings yet.

The same combination that was worked effectively against Connellsville here last week was tried and dazzling team work, passing and extremely good goal shooting was the result. To the Southside fans the first half was decidedly uninteresting. To the Charleroi rooters it was fascinating, Charleroi scoring 13 points before Southside got any.

Jack Adams nearly equalled his high record of 10 field goals by caging six. A. Brown proved that he was in the game by scoring four goals. Franckle and Roy Steele starred for South Side, making several sensational plays.

Southside 31.		Charleroi 52.
Frankle	F	Adams
R. Steele	F	J. Brown
Nickel	C	A. Brown
Henschel	G	Pfeiffer
Penino	G	Herron

Substitutions—E. Steele for Nickel. Field goals—Franckle 2, Steele 3, Henschel 2, Adams 6, J. Brown 4, Pfeiffer 2, Herron. Foul goals—Franckle missed 3. Penino 17 out of 30. Adams 26 out of 31. Score at end of first half, Charleroi 27; Southside 10. Referee—Alton.

BOWLING

The Stars won two out of three from the Venuses Friday evening at duckpins on the Crescent Alleys. The features was the bowling of Herrmann, who had high score and high average. Tonight the Stars bowl the Crescents at 8 o'clock. As these teams are evenly matched, much rivalry exists. Following is the score and standing of the league:

Stars.			
Sahner	101	123	96
Hepler	107	86	—
Berton	95	—	115
Bartholdy	112	100	88
Cupp	111	91	90
Zacher	—	124	86
Total	526	524	468
Venuses.			
Irose	92	129	101
Hermann	116	103	124
Grill	83	—	97
Marconni	100	99	113
Paluzzo	92	97	—
Victor	—	97	—
Total	483	516	535

Standing.

	W	L	Pct
Comets	8	1	.933
Crescents	5	4	.533
Stars	4	5	.444
Venuses	1	8	.111

Among The Passers

About a dozen rooters from Charleroi accompanied the team to Southside Saturday night. They were reinforced by a big delegation from Bruston, led by Ellsworth Riggs, a brother of Lance Riggs. Southside was shown what real rooting was.

Herron played a star game Saturday night. He dazzled the spectators by some superior shooting.

Five out of six games isn't so bad.

Andy Sears crew will do some tall shouting if Charleroi wins from the Johnnies tonight.

This Week's Schedule.

Monday—Southside and Uniontown, Washington at Connellsville, Johnstown at Charleroi.

Tuesday—Washington at Southside Charleroi at Johnstown.

Wednesday—Johnstown at Washington, Southside at Johnstown.

Friday—Uniontown at Connellsville, Charleroi at Washington.

Saturday—Connellsville at Southside, Washington at Charleroi.

CENTRAL BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Saturday Night's Scores.

Charleroi 52—Southside 31.
Johnstown 31—Uniontown 23.

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Uniontown	14	2	.875
Johnstown	12	4	.750
Connellsville	8	9.	.471
Charleroi	7	9	.437
Southside	7	10	.412
Washington	0	14	.000

Tonight's Schedule.

Southside at Uniontown.
Washington at Connellsville
Johnstown at Charleroi.

Star Theatre

TODAY

A Heroine of the Revolution.

Romeo and Juliet in 2 Reels.

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FOR RENT—House on Fifth street and Meadow avenue. Reasonable rent. Inquire Bruce O. Cross, 201 Third street. 114-t3p

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. Apply 835 Fallowfield avenue. 44-tf

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Rogers ½ dozen orange spoons in case, $1.50.

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Rosaries with gold crosses in beautiful leather case, $1.25 up.

We have a beautiful line ladies combs from 50c up

We have beautiful line of all kinds of embroidering and sewing scissors fitted up in leather cases.

German silver and sterling manicure pieces, from 30c up.

Military sets, German silver $3.00 up.

Silver clothes and hat brushes; $1.00.up.

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MAY ASK LEGISLATURE TO PROVIDE ELECTION

State Executive Anxious to Have Road Work Started

WHAT WILL BE NEEDED

Amendment Must be Advertised and Must Pass Session of 1913

Governor John K. Tener is anxious to have the State highway improvements started as soon as possible, but as the work cannot be prosecuted on an extensive scale until the Constitutional amendment providing for a bond issue of $50,000,000 passes a vote of the people, little can be done In view of this the project can be hastened by a special election, which may be provided by the next session of the Legislature. Already there is talk of such a proceeding, which would undoubtedly meet the approval of Governor Tener.

The proposed amendment to the Constitution permitting the issue of $50,000,000 of bonds for the purpose of improving and rebuilding the highways of the Commonwealth has passed the last session of the Legislature. It now must be advertised three months before the next general eletcion. It must then pass the session of 1913, after which it shall be submitted to the vote of the people at such time as the General Assembly shall prescribe, but at least three months after its passage by the Legislature.

It could be passed by the Legislature early in January, 1913, and an act providing for a special election to vote on it passed at once, say early in February, fixing a date sometime in May or June, so that it could be advertised again in three months before that special election. If it carried at that election, there would be only the question of time it would take to issue the bonds.

An enabling act to provide ways and means for the issue of the bonds could also be passed contingent on the amendment being adopted by the people, and the money, or some if it, would be available early in the summer of 1913.

In 1889, when the prohibition amendment was voted on, and the amendment to abolish the poll tax, a special election was fixed for June 18 of that year which was duely held, so that there is precedent for such aproceeding, which would very materially hasten the road construction and improvements throughout the State.

NEW TEACHER FOR BUSINESS COLLEGE

Prof E. B. Thomas, of Swanton,O., a teacher of much experience arrived today and took up his duties as instructor in the bookkeeping department of Douglas Business college. Prof. Thomas comes direct from the Ellis School of Business at Elgin, Ill., where he held a good position. He has taught in public and High Schools and was for a time principal of the Lindsay, O., High School.

Christmas Trees Here

Large Consignment of Little Pines Arrives For Local Dealers

The near approach of Christmas was vividly impressed upon the minds of hurrying Christmas shoppers today and Saturday by the appearance on the railroad siding at the freight yard of a large car load of Christmas trees. The trees are consigned to local dealers and will be unloaded soon There are probably 2,000 trees of the fir pine variety in the load.

DECLARES HE IS ONE

Carnegie Woman Positively Identifies Prisoner

PICKS OUT THE ACCUSED

From a group of nine men Miss Lucille Lyda, of Carnegie on Sunday identified John Pippkins, now in jail at Washington for the robbery of the Wabash station at Gwendolen, as oue of the men who held up and shot to death David Lawrence Steen near Bridgeville on the afternoon of September 16 last. Following the identification W. J. Steen, father of the slain paymaster of the Steen coal company, again looked at Pippkins and again declared he was the man who had held the revolver while another Italian shot young Steen with a shotgun.

In getting away from the scene of the shooting at Bridgeville, one of the men ran into Miss Lyda who was in the orchard near her home securing some apples. It is not known yet just what action will be taken in the Pippkins case but it is generally supposed that the Allegheny authorities will at once take steps to have the man removed tothat county for trial. It is stated that yesterday afternoon following the visit of the Pitsburgers Pippkins said he wished to go into court and ented a plea of guilty to the charges against him, but it is not likely he will be permitted to do this for the present at least.

The man is charged in this county with burglary, forcible entry and larceny and carrying concealed weapons.

Remember.

Tuesday night is the big night at the Palace Theatre. Don't fail to attend the Palace Tuesday night. 114-t1

Tuesday Night

At the Star Theatre will be shown the greatest military picture ever produced, "Hands Acros the Sea in 76." Dan't fail to see this masterful production in which two thousand soldiers and 500 horses participate. 114-t2

DECEMBER 10 HOLDS THE WINTER RECORDS

Balmy Sunday the Anniversary of Coldest Day of Last Year--Eighty Degrees Difference in Temperature

In queer contrast with a corresponding date of last year Charleroi people enjoyed the balmy weather of Sunday much the same as they would an exceedingly pleasant May day. People strolled about without overcoats or extra clothing or lounged on their porches as they would do any day in the summer, with an utter disregard for the time of year. The theremometer showing the freakishness of the weather man registered a temperature at the warmst part of the day of nearly 80 degrees

If people will take the trouble to go back in memory to the cold days of last winter they will discover that December 10, 1910, was the coldest day of the season, the mercury registering just two degrees below zero. It was one of the coldest days not only of last year but also of several years back.

Sunday would have made an excellent Eeaster Day if it could have been substituted for that usually cold blustery occasion. Summer clothing tnd straw hats would not have looked much out of place. Today the weather man is a little more reasonable and the temperature is about 60 degrees.

FEEHAN RECEIVED ENTHUSIASTICALLY

Believed That President of Pittsburg District Will Have Little Trouble Securing Re-election Tuesday

The annual election of national and district officers of the United Mine Workers of America is to take place tomorrow. Every local union in the National organization will hold its own election, balloting for national president and vice president, secretary-treasurer, executive board members, etc., and at the same time elect district executives.

In the Pittsburg district Francis Feehan is running for president again with good prospects of re-election. Mr. Feehan has worked a systematic campaign throughout the district, which ended in this section with a mass meeting at Belle Vernon Saturday night where he was most enthusiastically received.

John P. White is up for re-elction as National president again. He is opposed by former President T. L. Lewis who is making a vigorous campaign, as well as Mr. White.

The coming spring promises to see some interesting developments in the mining industry. The two year wage agreement terminates April 1, and a renewal is expected, but on terms that neither side has yet been able to agree upon. The miners are demanding a $1 a ton rate. The operators are demanding a reduction in the present rate of 95 cents to at least 90 cents, declaring that the public will not pay the added cast for fuel and and the public would have to bear any further increase in wages. Trouble is expected in the anthracite fields also where a new agreement is to be sought.

The result of the voting will not be known until the annual convention to be held in Indianapolis, Ind., in January. The tellers will have charge of the ballots sent them under seal from each local and thew will make their report direct to the National convention.

FOGARTY'S MEN HERE TONIGHT

Johnstown to Meet Magic City Five on the Local Floor

A game that will be a game is promised tonight when the basketball five from Johnstown meets the Magic City five on the local floor. Fogarty's men are proud of their victory over Uniontown Saturday night and the Charleroi five with a record of five out of the last six games won, and both determined to win, are expected to furnish the best argument seen here since the season opned. Charleroi started in winning Friday night, a week ago, and have continued with a single break in steady advancement since that time. Connellsville was the only team out of the several to defeat Adams' crew last week, winning on Tuesday. The local team with the acquisition of Herron and with perfected team work is recognized as one of the hardest in the league to defeat.

Romeo and Juliet

at the Star Theatre on Monday night in two reels. Other good pictures. 113-t2

Music Rolls make nice Xmas Gifts Might's Book Store. 114-t1

The First

Pictures to have special music. Arrah-Na-Pogur. Palace Tuesday. 114-t1

Friday Night Dancing School.

Membership cards have been issued and it will be necessary to have one on entering the dancing school. Class as usual, 7:30. Dancing 8:30 Prof. Oatman. Wheeler's Orchestra. 113-t6

SUNDAY SCHOOL OFFICERS NAMED

Speers Denomination Elects Superintendent and His Associates

Officers for the ensuing year were elected by the M. E. Sunday School of Speers Sunday morning asfollows: Superintenden, Elmer Taylor; assistant superintendent, James Collins; secretary Sylva Gaskill; assistant secretary, Miss Mary Taylor; treasurer King Chalfant; librarian, Laurie Fox; assistant librarian, Vern Hughes; organists, Mrs. King Chalfant and Miss Myrtle Clendenon.

Last year's teachers were re-elected as follows, in the order of their class numbers: Mrs. King Chalfant, Miss Lulu Beazell, Mrs. James T.Heffran, Mrs. B. H. Clendenon, Mrs. Joseph Beazell, James Heffran, Mrs. Elmer Taylor, T. J. Montgomery.

FIFTY NEW MEMBERS RECEIVED BY YOUNG LADIES SODAILTY

The Young Ladies Sodality of St. Jeromes' Catholic church Sunday afternoon received 50 new members into the society. A program was carried out at the church. Rev Father Maher of Roscoe preached. Special music was rendered. The service was impressive.

Books make ideal Xmas Gifts. Might's Book Store. 114-t1

Romeo and Juliet

at the Star Theatre on Monday night in two reels. Other good pictures. 113-t2

ACCEPTS CALL TO LARGE DENOMINATION IN OHIO

Rev. Chalmers E. Frontz Resigns Local Pastorate

FIVE YEARS IN CHARGE

New Church Built During Incumbency--Prominent in Community

Following the receipt of a telegram announcing a call to the pastorate of the Tiffin,Ohio, Lutheran church, Rev. Chalmers E. Frontz presented his resignation to his congregation at Christ Lutheran church Sunday evening. It came as a big surprise. A congregational meeting will be held next Sunday evening when the resignation will be considered. Sunday morning the Tiffin congregation held a meeting and unanimously extended to Rev Frontz a call. A telegram was sent him at once. His acceptance was made known when he presented his resignation to the local church. He asks to be released December 31.

Rev. Frontz has been pastor of Christ Lutheran church for five years coming as the successor to Rev. Harvey M. Loech. During the period of his incumbency the church has built the beautiful new edifice on the corner of Washington avenue and Sixth street, purchased the parsonage and became one of the most flourishing denominations of the town. The membership has been increased by the addition of 135 names and in the five years of his ministry the sum of $16,087.86 has been collected for carrying on church work and for benevolences.

Rev. Frontz has actively identified himself with the general movement for the town's good and has been an untiring worker for the civic welfare of the community. Among churchmen he figures as a leader. For a term he held the position of secretary of the Pittsburg Synod of the Lutheran church. In other ways he has been signally honored by the Synod.

The church to which Rev. Frontz has accepted a call is much larger than the local body. There is a comfortable increase in salary for Rev. Frontz. An old church, the pulpit has been filled at different periods by some of the most prominent ministers of the Lutheran denomination, among them being Rev. Samuel Sworm, D. D., of Wheeling, W. Va., and Rev. F. G. Sibmund, D. D., now head of the Lutheran Publication society. Rev. H. G. Snyder, now of Vandegrift was the latest pastor. Tiffin is a progressive town and the location of Heidelburg University.

No Council in Two Towns

Belle Vernon and North Belle Vernon, Like Charleroi, No Borough Fathers

Like Charleroi both Belle Vernon and North Belle Vernon are practically without councils now and will remain so until January 1. As the law was variously interpreted in various places, the councils organized or did not organize. In Charleroi new members were sworn in but there was no organization of council. At Belle Vernon and North Belle Vernon not only did the councils not organize but the members were not sworn in. There will be a lapse the rest of the month.

BOXES ON CORNERS

First Waste Receptacle is Placed on Fifth and McKean

ANSWERING PURPOSE

The first of a dozen street boxes to be located on street corners as waste receptacles was placed on Saturady afternoon on the corner of McKean avenue and Fifth street. Others are to be placed this week. The boxes are of a size sufficient to hold many baskets full of waste and are painted red, with the lettering on them "Please help keep Charleroi clean." A crusade has been started in the schools against unclean streets. School children are being encouraged in the practice of properly caring for their waste paper and in this way adults are being reached. The idea is one originated by Prof. James G. Pentz, superintendent of schools.

Notice to the Public.

Owing to the unprecedented sale of tickets for the Neisen Recital at School Hall on December 14, we advise the public to reserve seats at once. This assures you of a chair. 150 seats are reserved at Piper's drug store, 25 cents extra. 114-t4

Palace.

Arrah-Na-Pogue in 3 reels with music written especially for this magnificent feature. Tueday. 114-t1

Toy Land Now Open.

Santa Claus has certainly made a big effort to fill our basement with Xmas Toys this year. Parents bring your Children in and give them a good time. Might's Book Store. 114-t1

Romeo and Juliet.

at the Star Theatre on Monday night in two reels. Other good pictures. 113-t2

J. K. Tener, Pres. S. A. Walton, Vice Pres. R. H. Rush, Cashier.

Christmas Cheer For Many A Year

THE 1ST NATIONAL BANK

is best obtained by opening an account for your children with the First National Bank. It teaches your boy or girl prudence in the use of money--enabling them to cultivate the important habit of early saving.

Open Saturday Evenings from 6.00 to 9 o'clock

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Depository for the State of Pennsylvania.

A Timely Topic

You'll be scurrying about looking for Xmas gifts soon.

Why not drop in now when you haven't got a thousand and one things to do and select some of your Xmas presents.

By paying a small deposit you can have any article layed away for you till Xmas.

Cuff Links, 25c to $50.00
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LOCAL AGENCIES

G. S. Might.....Charleroi
Mrs. Belle Sharpneck.... Lock No. 4
C. T. Hixenbaugh.....Belle Vernon
C. T. Hixenbaugh.....Speers

Dec. 10 In American History.

1832—Andrew Jackson issued his proclamation against the 'nullifiers'

1862—The Federal army, led by General Ambrose E. Burnside, crossed the Rappahannock at Fredericksburg, Va., one of the brilliant but daring achievements of the war.

1898—Treaty of peace between United States and Spain signed at Paris bringing to an end the war which began in April, 1898.

1910—Official figures of the thirteenth census published: population, exclusive of Alaska, 91,972,266, including all possessions, 101,100,000, gain since 1900, 15,595,860

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow Sun sets 4:29, rises 7:10 moon rises 3:45 p. m.; 3 p. m., planet Venus in perihelion, nearest the sun; planet Mercury visible, sun's Declination, 22 degrees 56 minutes south of celestial equator.

Dec. 11 In American History.

1797—Hiram Paulding rear admiral of the United States navy, who won laurels in the war of 1812 born; died 1878

1861—Conflagration in Charleston, S. C.; loss $7,000,000.

1862—Bombardment of the city of Fredericksburg, Va., by General Burnside's artillery.

1905—Edward Atkinson, social and political economist, died; born 1827.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

(From noon today to noon tomorrow) Sun sets 4:29, rises 7:11; moon rises 10:59 p. m., Asteroid Vesta and moon in conjunction; planet Mercury seen in southwest

HAS REAL COURAGE.

The people of this country have profound respect for real courage. They are particularly fond of a fighter who knows his cause is just and right and who is willing to stand for that cause to the end of the road. President Taft has not devoted much of his time to hunting trouble, but he has demonstrated conclusively that any trouble that demands his attention will be certain of his best efforts when that trouble forces itself upon his attention. The President is a lover of peace but he is not averse to a conflict when that conflict is forced upon him.

At a meeting of the American Peace society in Washington last week President Taft declared that the Senate of the United States was quibbling over the pending arbitration treaties and in response to Col. Roosevelt's recent proclamation that a question of national honor should never be arbitrated President Taft said:

"The question of honor gives me less concern than any other. We have lived down the barbarous way of settling disputes. To say that we cannot satisfy questions of honor except by the shedding of blood is to go back to the dark ages. Are we going to halt this movement because someone may have found international objections? What is the use of discovering something—that is of no use?"

The firm, determined stand taken by the President in advocating international peace in defiance of others who operate along more boisterous lines have made him more friends than any other act of his official life.

HELP KEEP CLEAN.

The one waste paper box placed at the corner of Fifth street and McKean avenue Saturday, has already demonstrated its usefulness. It accumulated a considerable amount of rubbish Saturday night and Sunday, but still did not catch all the paper that was cast aside in that vicinity. This was owing no doubt, to the ignorance of the people generally, who were not aware of the innovation—or its use.

A good plan will be for every person [illegible] adopt as a slogan, "Keep Charleroi Clean," by depositing all waste paper and debris in the waste boxes at the street corners. This is a small matter individually, yet observed in the aggregate will mean much for the town. Every one can help, and if every merchant will print in his advertisements for a time the slogan, outsiders will become educated in the custom A clean town is an advertisement in itself.

FALSE AND MISLEADING.

Because J. J.Hott, who made a contribution to the Republican county campaign fund, happened to be the superintendent of the Charleroi brewery, the Washington Observer took occasion to make unfavorable comment upon the incident, and in doing so made some false statements and charges against Mr. Hott. It stated that "Mr. Hott is the superintendent of the Mulvihill brewery at Charleroi, which has been refused twice a retail license for violating the liquor laws." This is not true. The Charleroi brewery has never been refused license, neither have there ever been any charges filed against it. Under Mr. Hott's management every effort has been made to comply with the law and the institution has the reputation of being the most carefully conducted one in the whole district. The statement, being false in every particular, is designed to injure Mr. Hott, and to place him in a bad light before the public.

So far as the political contribution is concerned, there was nothing extraordinary about that. It was one of a number made by citizens in all parts of the county who are interested in the success of the Republican party. It was not excessive, and was properly and legally accounted for. During his regime as political dictator of Washington county Mr. Acheson himself was not averse to receiving contributions for the perpetuation of his machine, even from intrests which he now professes to antagonize and abhor. Other citizens in Charleroi, in Washington and in other parts of the county gave donations to the campaign fund as they have aright to, and without which a party organization could not be maintained, and the occasion offers no excuse for a scurrilous personal attack upon a good citizen of Charleroi

ELECTRIC SPARKS

A good many are inclined not to care what caused the Spanish-American war. It happened, and the incident is closed.

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Ah! Saved! The Congressional Record has appeared.

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There hasn't been very much occasion yet to wear fur caps.

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It's strange somebody hasn't mentioned W. J.Burns for the Presidency.

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Gov. Harmon was down to look over the capitol. Maybe he thinks he might be the next person to move in.

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The only time a woman's hair is red is when she comes by it naturally.

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Eila Wheeler Wilcox says the mother-in-law is omnipotent in China. The cause of the rebellion is no longer in doubt.

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Keystone leaders in Philadelphia are declared to now be pleased with Blankenburg's appointments. It's quite possible that he is doing what they insisted he do, which is running affairs as he sees fit.

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Presidential aspirants are now busy finding out just what they do favor.

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Pennsylvania is a leader in the production of hay, but then Pennsylvania leads in so many things that it doesn't seem out of the way.

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A brand new investigation into the high cost of living is to be started by the New York chamber of commerce. If it has no more noticeable effect than the Congressional investigation, it may as well be immediately forgotten.

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King George's new title acquired in India will hardly become a household term. It is Delhi-Ke-Bas-han.

Shopping now is similar to that of buying tickets for the world's series [illegible]

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That Ohio young man who was married but couldn't remember it had a most useful memorry.

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Pass it Along.

The thrifty housewife gets a lift
And profit clear
By fixing up the useless gift
That came last year.

—Pittsburg Post.

PICKED UP IN PASSING

With regard to the terrible mine explosion near Knoxville, Tennessee, Joe Mason remarked today:

"The first man to enter that smoking Knoxville mine following the awful explosion was 'Pop' Sutton, mining engineer and baseball manager at State College in 1909. E. W. Sutton is in charge of the Government rescue car at Knoxville, and it was in his line of duty to do this work. Nevertheless it is a heroic calling, and a credit to Penn State to have her sons leading in such a vocation. Three other recent State graduates are in this same Bureau of Mines service and doing excellent work.

"Pennsylvania State College does not support merely classical courses, which turn out graduates who look forward to a life of ease, but State's technical men go out into the world anxious to fight their way and jump in and work beside the practical men who naturally form the back bone of any industry. The young men of Charleroi who are anxious to take up any engineering course as well as agriculture, horticulture, chemistry, or forestry, will do well to look over Penn State's catalogue before choosing their future alma mater. There are scores of bright young men in this town who should now be in college."

A local busines man, who is collaborating with Pittsburg dealers in an effort to remove the burden, or to reduce it, which the Government and State unjustly imposes on the consumers of oleomargerine and butterine, said the other day:

"The Government tax of 10 cents a pound on colored oleomargerine is the most unjust burden that can be imposed on poor and working people. There are thousands who from training and prejudice will not use uncolored butterine who would be glad to use it if it were only colored the same as creamery butter Oleomargerine bearing the Government stamp of inspection shows that the product is made of pure and wholesome ingredients, as every one is inspected by Government officials before the products can be manufactured and sold. There is no chance for using the product of deceased animals, as in the case of real butter.

"In my efforts to get legislation on this important matter I was told that a Pittsburg newspaper sent representatives to the oleo dealers in Pittsburg who were taking a chance in selling the colored product contrary to the State law, and demanded $5,000 worth of advertising, with the ultimatum that if the dealers did not comply, they would be closed up. They of course refused and the paper began a crusade, and today there is practically no colored butterine or oleo sold in the Pittsburg market. Previously the State officials overlooked many offenses in this respect, no doubt, I suppose, on account of the unjustness of the regulation.

"Think of people having to pay 38, 40, and even 45 cents a pound for butter, when they could get a pure and wholesome substitute which most people would prefer to ordinary butter if it were colored, for 15 or 20 cents a pound."

McCann's Select Butterine

a 10-lb. pail delivered upon receipt of $2.00

OR THIS COMBINATION

3 lbs. Restaurant Coffee Ground with Chicory Drinks better than any 25c package Coffee, and

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Better than any Tea sold with premiums at 80c per lb.

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The manicure is but a detail.

It's the same old beauty story.

Hands, like faces, depend on health.

One must diet and exercise and drink water.

The hands change color with surprising rapidty.

When worried, the poor hands take on a horrid redness.

A livid whiteness indicates that the person suffers pain.

Yellow spots on the hands indicate a bilious or a tired condition.

It is only when the system is in perfect condition that the hands are ready for the finishing touches of the manicure

NATURALLY.

Mrs. Jones—No wonder she looks tired; she's up most all night with a sick baby.

Mr. Jones—What's the matter with her husband?

Mrs. Jones—He's busy all the time trying to get an eight-hour day for workmen.

What Gift to Buy?

Why Not Something Useful?

The problem of a suitable gift for each member of the family is easily solved at

Claybaugh & Milliken's Shoe Store

See our Holiday assortments of Fancy and Staple Footwear. Their good style and quality assure much pleasure in wearing them. Our prices plainly save you money.

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Tan and black vici kid, black suede, calf skin. Made Opera or Everett shape. Size 6 to 11.

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Brown, black, green, old rose, red, wine, blue, pink and grey colors Fur trimmed Romeos, "Comfy" and fancy ribbon trimmed

BOYS' LEATHER SLIPPERS, 50c to $1

Tan and black, Evert shape.

MISSES' AND CHILDREN'S SLIPPERS AND FANCY LEGGINGS, 40c to 90c

All colors and sizes.

WOMEN'S EVENING SLIPPERS, $1.50, $5

Patent and mat kid pumps or strap slippers, beaded or plain. Suede, satin, or velvet Colonials, suede Cleopatras, and white kid slippers go to make the most complete assortment in town

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TRIALAX.

Speaks for Itself

Mothers and Fathers! No doubt your children often get constipated and you wonder what to give them. You hate to give them something that is hard to take because they are your children. Now if you will go to your druggist and ask for a trial package of The Easy Laxative Trialax for only 10c we are sure your children will eat them with delight and obtain very best results, as they work easily. 4

Money to Loan

Don't worry about your holiday money. We have it to loan from $10 upwards, your furniture can be your security and we leave everything in your possession. A small payment each week or month pays back the loan. You will be surprised to find how little this will cost you. **Business Absolutely Confidential.** Information cheerfully given. If unable to call, write or phone for our representative. We make loans anywhere within 20 miles of Charleroi.

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Resources over $1,500,000

MUSICAL TREAT IN STORE FOR LOCAL PEOPLE

Music lovers have a treat in store for them Thursday night of this week when the Niesen Quartet of singers from Pittsburg appear at School Hall in a song recital. The program will be varied with a view of pleasing all. The affair is being held under the auspices of St. Jerome's congregation. Great interest is being taken and tickets are selling rapidly.

In addition to the quartet a humor-

W. H. Faulkner. Humorist.

ist and reciter has been secured to give readings. This is W. H. Faulkner, a well known entertainer of ability. The entertainment will be of a high class and of a nature that will insure a delightful and beneficial evening to those who attend.

Settled Case.

In the case of Edward Callaghan versus V. S. Ross and others, in which the former made charges against the latter regarding some differences in insurances company matters in which both were interested, the plaintiff withdrew the charges and the defendant paid the costs, and the matter was settled out of court. The hearing was before Justice Harry Scott of North Charleroi.

WAS SICK THIRTY YEARS

Bowie, Tex—The remarkable case of Mrs S J Embry who lives near here is attracting attention, on account of her restoration to health after many years of suffering She tells of it in a letter as follows:

"During the past thirty years I have suffered greatly from nervous troubles and my health was badly run down. Lately I learned of your cod liver and iron tonic, Vinol, and began taking it

"I have used several bottles and improved so fast that I at once recommended it to two friends who were in poor health. My case was complicated but Vinol did wonders for me. Every woman who suffers from nervousness and weakness should take Vinol and recover her health."

It is plain that a remedy that will overcome a chronic rundown condition like this is just what weak and sickly men, women and children everywhere need If you want to be strong and healthy again, take Vinol, on our positive promise to give back your money if you are not satisfied Piper Bros, Druggists, Charleroi, Pa

NOTED IRISH PLAY TO BE PRODUCED AT THE PALACE

"Arrah-Na-Pogue," the great Irish photoplay, in three reels, will be presented at the Palace Theatre tomorrow night This historical and romantic drama was staged amid the lakes and fels of Ireland, where it was supposed to have occurred, and the spectator is regaled with the original natural scenery of some of the most world thrilling events. This is the only photoplay to which special music has been set, and the Palace Theatre orchestra will render the beautiful strains that tell the emotional part of the story as the drama is unfolded.

FUNERAL OF GEORGE L. MICHINER HELD AT THE LATE HOME

The funeral of George L. Michener, who died on Friday afternoon suddenly was held this morning at the late home on Washington avenue Scores of friends of the deceased attended and paid them last respects to his mortal remains Interment was in Howe's cemetery.

Moodie Makes a Call.

Andrew Moodie, a farmer residing near town, went to visit a neighbor, John Telford, the other night As he opened the door leading into the house he fell, in the dark, through the open trap door of the cellar. At the moment Telford was ascending the cellar stairs, and Moodie dropped astride his neck. Both went to the bottom, Telford escaping unhurt, but Moodie sustaining a fracture of three ribs—Smith Falls Dispatch in Toronto Mail.

Titanic Tolstoi.

Everything in Tolstoi's character, an eminent Russian writer says, attained Titanic proportions "As a drinker he absorbed fantastic quantities of liquor. As a gambler, he terrified his partners by the boldness of his play As a soldier he advanced gayly to Bastion 4, the bastion of death at Sevastopol, and there he made dying men laugh at his witty sayings He surpassed every one by his prodigious activity in sport as well as literature."

Eraser in the Laundry.

One instrument of cleanliness found in a first class laundry is a rubber eraser That is needed to rub the pencil marks from cuffs," said the manager "We used to throw that kind of correspondence into soap water and try to wash it clean, but marks made by some pencils soaked in instead of washing out, and left the cuffs splotched and streaked so they are now treated to a preliminary dry scrub with an eraser."

Hard to Answer.

Little four-year-old Robert, like many other boys of his age, liked to ask questions. So when the first downy chicks came in the spring and his mother saw him studying them most intently, she knew something was coming And it did, for presently he turned to his mother and asked, "Mamma, are chickens' legs hind legs or front legs?" —M B Denison in Woman's Home Companion

Value of Modern Education.

We learn a great deal that is useless about geography, but ask any simple question of the average "educated" person—the shortest route to Persia for instance, or how many days it takes to go to India or to Argentina—and you will probably receive a wrong answer or no answer at all—Petite Republique

Sewing Receptacle.

Jane—The newest receptacles for small pieces of sewing are made of ribbon, which is turned up and overcast at the ends to form pockets It is tied around the waist in the form of a girdle and the pockets hang conveniently at the right side.

Where Blacks Predominate.

Jamaica is more populous in proportion to its size than Spain, Turkey, Russia, and some other European countries. The white people, however, are outnumbered by the blacks and colored by nearly 50 to 1

What's the Use?

Mrs Spender—"If we deposit ten cents a day at four per cent. interest for baby until he's of age, he'll have $1,212." Spender—"What's the use? By that time he can go to work."

Was a Relative.

A little child was seen walking around near "the bearded lady" at one of the side shows at a country fair. The child being evidently on good terms with the barker, indicated to the onlookers that it was probably related to the bewhiskered female, so she asked the child: "Is the bearded lady your mother?" "No," answered the child, "she is my father."

Reasonable Prices for Seasonable Goods

One pound pkg Currants	12½c	Co-operators Best flour, 49lb sk	$1.40
Seeded Raisins, 2 pkgs for	25c	Pastry flour, 25lb sk	.60c
Seedless Raisins, 2 pkgs. for	25c	Gold Coin flour, 50 lb sk	$1.65
Fancy prunes, 2 lbs for	25c	10lb Pail Pure lard	$1.20
Evaporated peaches, lb	16c	5lb Pail Pure lard	60c
Evaporate apricots, lb	22c	3lb Pail Pure lard	35c
Citron peal, lb	25c	Country butter, per lb	32c
Mixed Nuts, lb	15c	Figs, 1lb wood box	17c
English Walnuts lb	22c	Spinach, per peck	20c
Hickory Nuts, 4lbs for	25c	Malaga grapes, 2 lbs for	25c
Cranberries, 2 qts for	25c	Corn meal, 10 lb sack	24c
Turnips, per bu	75c	Buckwheat flour, 10lb sack	35c
Ruta Baga per bu	85c	Graham flour, 10lb sack	30c
Carrots per bu	85c	Split peas, 1lb pkg, 2 for	15c
Sliced peaches, 2 cans for	25c	Best mustard, per quart	15c
Gooseberries, 2 cans for	25c	Best mustard per pint	10c
Green Gage plums, 3 lb can	15c	Any 10c pkg of tobacco, 2 for	15c
White Cherries, 2 lb can	15c	1lb pkg of Washing Powder 4 for	15c
White dove floting soap, 11 for	25c	Borax Washing Powder, 2 for	5c
Laundry soap, large cake, 7 for	25c	Quart bottle ammonia, 2 for	15c
Baker's Chocolate, per lb	35c	Quart bottle Blue 2 for	15c

The Co-Operative Store

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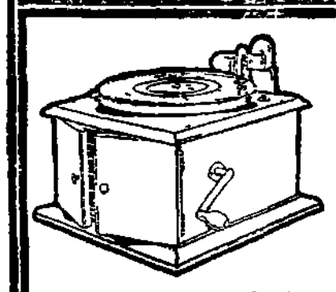
Railroad Avenue, LOCK 4, PA.

Victor-Victrola



Victor-Victrola IV, $15

Victor-Victrola VI, $25
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Victor-Victrola IX, $50
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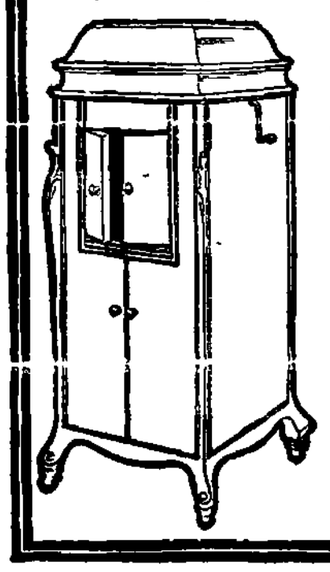
Victor-Victrola XI, $100
Victor-Victrola XIV, $150

Victor-Victrola XVI $200 and $250



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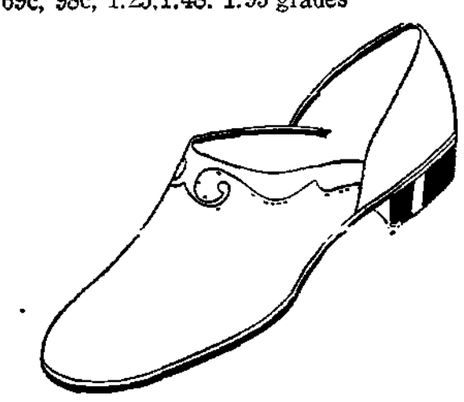
A big lot—in many styles—regular 49c, 69c, 98c, 1.25,1.48. 1.95 grades



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In Tan and Black.

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For the Children—Sizes 6 to 10½, and you could not find anything else that will please them as well—genuine Black Calf—Medium soles.

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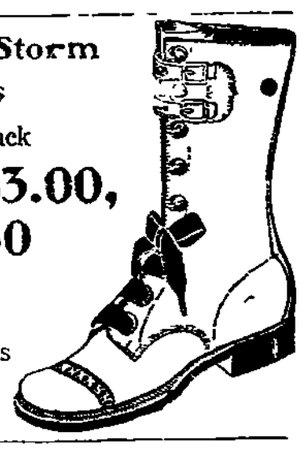
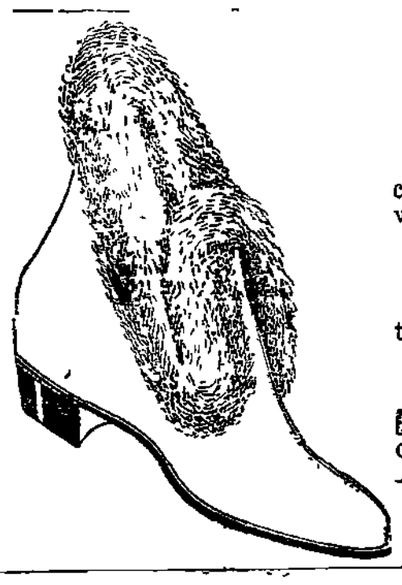
Not the Cheap Grades, but Boots that will wear





Women's 1.50 Slippers, 1.10

Women's warm slippers; new Colonial style: various colors with brass and gilt buckles; fur trimmed; $1.50 values: $1.10.

Women's 1.50 Juliettes, 90c

Women's fur trimmed Juliettes, red and black; flexible turned soles; $1.50 values, special, 90c.

Women's 5.00 Satin Shoes, 3.45

Black satin shoes for women; plain toes; short vamp; only a limited number; $5 values for $3.45.

ADOLPH BEIGEL

Smooth Faces Blamed.

A distinguished Vienna physician has attributed the increase in diseases of the respiratory organs to the growing practice among men of going clean shaven.

And There You Are.

A New York man who was unable to sign his own name left a million But if he had had an education he might have left a billion. And then again he might not.

Two Paths of Life.

There's many a man who on the outside is known to everyone as a genial, but at home is a habitual grouch—Life

The Principal Thing.

Bobby (to Auntie, an energetic suffragette)—I s'pose, auntie, the first thing you'll do when you get to vote will be to put a tax on us bachelors?

Are Dead Ones.

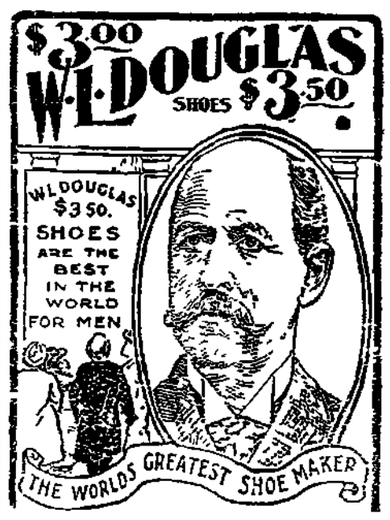
Red letter days now become, to all intents and purposes, dead-letter days.

Stung.

Peter Piper had picked A Peck of Pickled Peppers The bell rang "A Peck of Pickled Peppers distanced at the post!" shouted the announcer through his megaphone. Peter Piper tore his hair "Never again!" he cried, meaning that he meant to sally with the ponies no more forever.—Puck

Saved His Wife's Life

"My wife would have been in her grave to-day" writes O. H. Brown, of Muscadine, Ala, "if it had not been for Dr King's New Discovery. She was down in her bed, not able to get up without help. She had a severe bronchical trouble and a dreadful cough. I got her a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery, and she soon began to mend, and was well in a short time." Infallible for coughs and colds, it's the most reliable remedy on earth for desperate lung trouble, hemorrhages, lagrippe, asthma, hay fever, croup and whooping cough. 50c, $1 00 Trial bottle free Guaranteed by Hennings' Drug Store. 1



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An Advertisement is the Charleroi Mail will reach more readers in this community than any other means that can be employed.

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Space in such a newspaper is worth infinitely more and costs less than a hand bill that more often is swept into the alley than finds its way into the house. Professional advertising agents consider that an an average of five readers is a conservative estimate for every copy of a popular newspaper that enters the homes and is sold and read on its merits.

Early Christmas Shopping is desired; stimulate this trade by an

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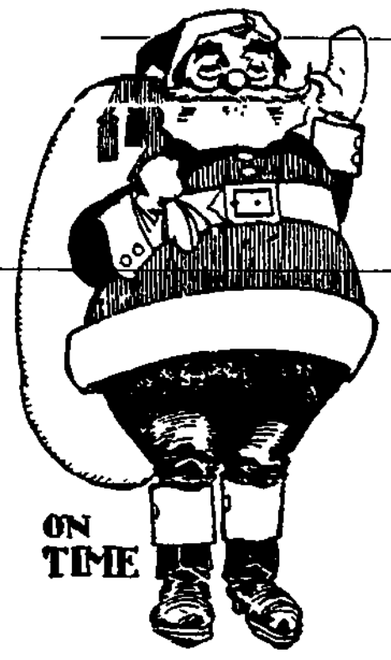

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Headquarters!

I'm here with the goods at Berryman's, where my headquarters will be until Xmas. Come in and look over the many things---I've enough to fill everybody's stocking full to overflowing. Leave your order here.

Dolls for All

All sizes of kid dolls, with all colors of hair and eyes, priced from 25c up to $5.00.

Jointed Bisque Dolls, brown or blue sleeping eyes, blonde, losca or brown hair, full jointed, even to the wrist, priced from 25c up to $10.00

Dressed Dolls in an endless variety of styles and sizes—from 25c up to $2.00.

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25c books for Boys and Girls. Cloth bound books, works of Alger, Henty, Ellis, Otis, Meade, Cox, Allen, Norris and many others, at only 25c each.

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A good assortment of Bibles and Testaments.

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Father

Neckwear, bath and house robes, gloves, hose, suit cases, traveling bags, suspenders, cuff buttons, stick pins, fancy vests, smoking jackets, shirts, Handkerchiefs, shaving mirror.

Mother

Furs, waists, hand bags, gloves, handkerchiefs, neckwear, scarf, bed room slippers, belts, hose, linens, art goods, hair switches, china ware, brass goods, carpet sweepers, etc.

Brother

Shaving mirrors, collar and cuff boxes, umbrellas, hats, neckties belts, gloves, pajamas, collars, suspender sets, combination tie, hose sets, underwear, books.

Sister

Furs, handkerchiefs, gloves neckwear, hose, hand bags, jewelry, scarfs, combs, umbrellas, ribbons, fancy work. books, dolls.

We Give S. & H. Green Stamps

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SHOP EARLY

SOUTHSIDE DEFEATED

Magic Team Work and Shooting Too Much for Freunds

Continuing its winning streak Charleroi gave Southside the short end of a bout Saturday night on the Southside floor. The score was 52 to 31. So fast a pace did the Magics set that the Southsiders haven't entirely recovered their bearings yet.

The same combination that was worked effectively against Connellsville here last week was tried and dazzling team work, passing and extremely good goal shooting was the result To the Southside fans the first half was decidedly uninteresting. To the Charleroi rooters it was fascinating. Charleroi scoring ... points before Southside got any.

Jack Adams nearly equalled his high record of 10 field goals by caging six A. Brown proved that he was in the game by scoring four goals Franckle and Roy Steele starred for South Side, making several sensational plays

Southside 31.	Charleroi 52.
Frankle ...	F. . . Adams
R. Steele .	F. . . . J. Brown
Nickel	C. ... A. Brown
Henschel	G. ... Pfeiffer
Penino	G .... Herron

Substitutions—E. Steele for Nickel. Field goals—Franckle 2, Steele 3, Henschel 2, Adams 6, J. Brown 4, Pfeiffer 2, Herron. Foul goals—Franckie missed 3. Penino 17 out of 30. Adams 26 out of 31. Score at end of first half, Charleroi 27; Southside 10. Referee—Alton.

BOWLING

The Stars won two out of three from the Venuses Friday evening at duckpins on the Crescent Alleys The features was the bowling of Herrmann, who had high score and high average. Tonight the Stars bowl the Crescents at 8 o'clock. As these teams are evenly matched, much rivalry exists. Following is the score and standing of the league:

Stars.			
Sahner	101	123	96
Hepler	107	86	—
Berton	95	—	115
Bartholdy	112	100	88
Cupp	111	91	90
Zacher	—	124	86
	—	—	—
Total	526	524	469

Venuses.			
Irose	92	129	101
Hermann	116	103	124
Grill	83	—	97
Marconni	100	99	113
Paluzzo	92	97	—
Victor	—	97	—
	—	—	—
Total	483	516	535

Standing.

	W	L	Pct
Comets	8	1	.933
Crescents	5	4	.533
Stars	4	5	.444
Venuses	1	8	.111

Among The Passers

About a dozen rooters from Charleroi accompanied the team to Southside Saturday night. They were reinforced by a big delegation from Bruston, led by Ellsworth Riggs, a brother of Lance Riggs. Southside was shown what real rooting was.

Herron played a star game Saturday night. He dazzled the spectators by some superior shooting.

Five out of six games isn't so bad.

Andy Sears crew will do some tall shouting if Charleroi wins from the Johnnies tonight.

This Week's Schedule.

Monday—Southside and Uniontown. Washington at Connellsville, Johnstown at Charleroi

Tuesday—Washington at Southside Charleroi at Johnstown.

Wednesday—Johnstown at Washington, Southside at Johnstown.

Friday—Uniontown at Connellsville, Charleroi at Washington

Saturday—Connellsville at Southside, Washington at Charleroi.

CENTRAL BASKETBALL LEAGUE

Saturday Night's Scores.

Charleroi 52—Southside 31
Johnstown 31—Uniontown 23

Standing of the Clubs.

	W.	L.	Pct.
Uniontown	14	2	.875
Johnstown	12	4	750
Connellsville	8	9.	.471
Charleroi	7	9	.437
Southside	7	10	.412
Washington	0	14	.000

Tonight's Schedule.

Southside at Uniontown
Washington at Connellsville
Johnstown at Charleroi.

Star Theatre

TODAY

A Heroine of the Revolution.

Romeo and Juliet in 2 Reels.

Matinee daily, 2 to 4.30 p. m.
Saturday Matinee, 1 to 4 30 p. m

PICTURES CHANGED DAILY
Doors open every evening at 6 p.m.

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This Red Cross Shoe in Gunmetal, Tan Calf, Patent, Cloth Top, with wing or straight tips, 12 or 14 button, on our new high knob toe, an exclusive Red Cross style. Price $4.00

See us for your warm House Slippers. We have them from size 1 (baby) up to size 12 (women or men).

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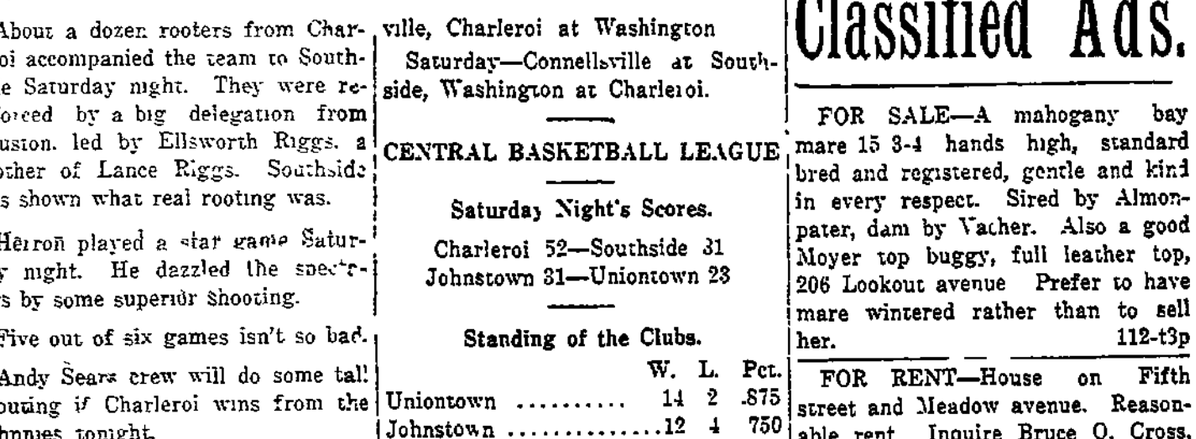
FOR RENT—House on Fifth street and Meadow avenue. Reasonable rent Inquire Bruce O. Cross, 201 Third street. 114-t3p

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. Apply 635 Fallowfield avenue 44-tf

LOST—Lady's bracelet, which was left in lavatory of ladies' waiting room in Pennsylvania station, Charleroi. Finder please leave at Mail office and reveive reward. 114-t1



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The early buyer has the advantage of a better selection. Select your Christmas gifts here and you will be sure they will please.

Don't worry over Christmas gifts, come to us. When you see our beautiful line of watches, diamonds, jewelry, cut glass, china-ware, silverware, umbrellas, Crucifixes and Meerchaum pipes and Christmas Novelties you'll make your selections very easy. Our line of jewelers German Silver bags, kid lined for ladies and children are beautiful. Prices can't be beat anywhere, come and see for yourself, one of our specials in

German silver mesh bags, kid lined 7x5½ inches, $3.00. And many other such bargains.

Wm. Rodger, 26 pieces table sets in chests, $7.50.

Rogers Bros. forks and knives; $3.25 a set.

Rogers ½ dozen orange spoons in case, $1.50.

German silver picture frames at 50c up.

Rosaries with gold crosses in beautiful leather case, $1.25 up.

We have a beautiful line ladies combs from 50c up

We have beautiful line of all kinds of embroidering and sewing scissors fitted up in leather cases.

German silver and sterling manicure pieces, from 30c up.

Military sets, German silver $3.00 up.

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LOCAL MENTION

Miss Tena Estenfelder has returned from Ford City where she has been employed for 14 weeks as a milliner

Mrs James Ramsey and Thomas Christopher have gone to Detroit, Mich., being called there by the serious illness of Miss Eunice Ramsey.

C. A. Wilderman, who is a section foreman on the railroad is spending a week with friends in the vicinity of Uniontown

Mrs. George Phillips, of Cleveland, Ohio, has returned home after a visit at the home of Mr. and Mrs Peter Decker, of Fallowfield avenue

Prof. I. T. Daniel and son Aubery were in California Sunday afternoon where the former is drilling a chorous for the presentation of a cantata.

Edward Brown, head of a plate glass factory in Detroit, Mich., and formerly superintendent of the Pittsburg Plate Glass factory here, after a brief visit with his son Roland Brown left this morning for his home.

Mrs Joseph R. Chalfant is spending the day in Pittsburg.

Mr. and Mrs. Daniel Lowstutter, of Brownsville were visitors with relatives and friends here Sunday.

C E Miller, a former resident of Charleroi, but now located at Columbus, O., was in town Sunday, the guest of his brother-in-law, A. W. Day of the Hotel Arthur.

Mrs. R. J. Lysle of Fallowfield avenue was in Dravosburg Saturday to attend the funeral of Ralph Hagen, one of the victims of the evplosion of the steamer Diamond.

Arrah-Na-Pogue in 3 reels. Beautiful Irish Drama, will be shown at rah-Na-Pogue. Palace Tuesday.114-t1

ENTERTAINS CLASS OF SUNDAY SCHOOL

The Star class of the Christian Sunday school, taught by Miss Ruth Middleton was entertained at the home of Mrs. I. N. Kibler Saturday afternoon from two to five o'clock. The affair was in honor of the 14th birthday of Miss Maud Kibler. Christmas decorations of a star design were used throughout the house and the same idea was carried out in the games. Mrs. Kibler was assisted in receiving and entertaining by Mrs. Fisher, of North Charleroi, Miss Racey and Miss Clark, of Uniontown.

Robert Reed of Dravosburg spent Sunday with his aunt, Mrs. R. J Lysle of Fallowfield avenue.

Card of Thanks.

We extend our heartfelt thanks to those who assisted and shared with us their sympathy during the illness and death of our husband and father also the Glass City Lodge and Room 5 and grade 5 of High School building for their floral tribute.

Mrs. S. A. Webster and Family
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OBITUARY.

John Franklin Webster, born June 23, 1860, died December 6, at his home on Woodlawn Avenue.

Mr. Webster married Miss S. A. Kelley, at Canonsburg, August 2, 1883. To them were born ten children of which seven survive. Mrs. Garnet Johnson, Mrs. Margaret Brown, Miss Mabel, Mary, Pearl and Jacob of Charleroi and George of Detroit, Mich. His widow father two sisters and two brothers and three grandchildren also survive. Mr. Webster moved to Charleroi more than 13 years ago, coming here from Pittsburg where he was employed at McJunkins dairy. He was a good citizen and was well respected by all who knew him.

Mabel J. Webster.